

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC SAFETY AND CORRECTIONS

RECIDIVISM IN ADULT CORRECTIONS (BLUE WALTERS)

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RECIDIVISM: RETURN TO CUSTODY FOLLOWING CONVICTION FOR A NEW FELONY OR TECHNICAL REVOCATION OF SUPERVISION AFTER HAVING BEEN RELEASED FROM INCARCERATION THROUGH COMPLETED SENTENCE, RELEASED ON PAROLE, CONDITIONAL RELEASE, OR SPLIT PROBATION SENTENCE. OFFENDERS RELEASED TO A DETAINER, RELEASED IN ERROR, DECEASED, OR TRANSFERRED TO ANOTHER JURISDICTION ARE NOT INCLUDED. AN OFFENDER MAY BE RELEASED MULTIPLE TIMES BUT IS ONLY COUNTED ONCE PER RELEASE YEAR.

OFFENDERS ARE TRACKED FOR A PERIOD OF TIME FROM DATE OF RELEASE BASED ON THE YEAR OF RETURN :

1st Year Returns: 12 months
2nd Year Returns: 24 months
3rd Year Returns: 36 months
4th Year Returns: 48 months
5th Year Returns: 60 months

	Total Releases	1st Year Returns	%	2nd Year Returns	%	3rd Year Returns	%	4th Year Returns	%	5th Year Returns	%
2004	244	52	21.3%	93	38.1%	124	50.8%	130	53.3%	139	57.0%
2005	267	56	21.0%	101	37.8%	124	46.4%	139	52.1%	154	57.7%
2006	241	51	21.2%	83	34.4%	101	41.9%	115	47.7%	122	50.6%
2007	172	31	18.0%	60	34.9%	79	45.9%	88	51.2%	100	58.1%
2008	105	18	17.1%	34	32.4%	41	39.0%	52	49.5%	55	52.4%
2009	106	13	12.3%	29	27.4%	48	45.3%	49	46.2%	57	53.8%
2010	320	43	13.4%	88	27.5%	117	36.6%	128	40.0%		
2011	359	55	15.3%	108	30.1%	143	39.8%				
2012	427	62	14.5%	120	28.1%						
2013	550	87	15.8%								

INCLUDES OFFENDERS THAT PARTICIPATED IN BLUE WALTERS PRIOR TO RELEASE.

*BLUE WALTERS IS A SUBSTANCE ABUSE TREATMENT CENTER

**AUGUST 2005 ORLEANS/BLUE WALTERS PROGRAM IN NEW ORLEANS CLOSED

***TENSAS/BLUE WALTERS PROGRAM OPEN MAY 2004 TO JULY 2006.

****JULY 2006-JULY 2007 BLUE WALTERS PROGRAM TRANSFERRED TO SOUTH LOUISIANA CORRECTIONAL CENTER

*****JULY 2007 SOUTH LOUISIANA CORRECTIONAL CENTER RENAMED RICHWOOD